

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| Application. No. | : | Unassigned         | Confirmation No. Unassigned |
| Applicant        | : | Brant L. Candelore |                             |
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.